former residence lot of Major Robert W. Foard, now known as the Ross lot, in accordance with the 'agreement and contract' entered into by the city of Concord with the United States under date of January twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven; said lot having been selected and purchased on the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven, for the site of a Federal building in the city of Concord."

Sec. 7. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1907.

CHAPTER 445.

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A GRADED SCHOOL DISTRICT IN LILESVILLE TOWNSHIP, ANSON COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That the following territory be and the same is Lilesville Graded hereby established as the Lilesville Graded School District, to-wit: established. That territory which comprises the Lilesville Public School District Number One, white, as established and now existing.

SEC. 2. That the Graded School Committee of the Lilesville Graded school Graded School, as set forth in section one of this act, shall con-committee. sist of seven members instead of three, as now required by the general school law; that A. J. Allen, J. F. Alexander, A. P. Liles, Committeemen. E. P. Liles, H. J. Wall, G. A. Ingram and J. E. Kerr shall constitute said committee, and that the term of office of J. F. Alexander Terms of office. and J. E. Kerr shall expire on the first Monday in May, one thousand nine hundred and nine; that the term of office of H. J. Wall and A. P. Liles shall expire on the first Monday in May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; that the term of office of G. A. Ingram and E. P. Liles shall expire ou the first Monday in May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen; that the term of office of A. J. Allen shall expire on the first Monday in May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; as the terms of the members of said committee, as above provided, shall expire, their successors Successors. shall be elected for a term of five years by the Board of Education of Anson County at its first meeting after its election and qualification. Whenever any vacancy shall occur in said com-Vacancies. mittee otherwise than by expiration of the term of office, the vacancy for the unexpired term of the member or members shall be filled by the said committee.

Sec. 3. That the school committee provided for by this act shall Powers of school have exclusive control of the public school interests, funds and committee.